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From: Greg Etter

Sent: Tue 4/1/2014 3:45:12 PM

Subject: RE: Request for Access on the Upper Animas for water quality sampling

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Paula:

Missed you when I called. Please ring me when you have the opportunity.

Thank you.

Greg

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Larry – EPA's attorney, Richard Sisk has spoken with Kinross attorney, Nathan Longenecker. Mr. Longenecker is currently on a family vacation and so he told Richard that I should go ahead and contact you. I left you voice mail message this afternoon and I will probably see you at the brainstorming session in Denver tomorrow afternoon.

EPA is requesting access to one of Sunnyside Gold Corporation's mine claims that we believe provides access to the Animas River at a sampling location that has been used in the past by the ARSG as well as EPA and other interested groups. The access is for the conduct of water quality and sediment sampling as well as fish and aquatic insect sampling during the 2014 field season. I've attached a letter requesting access and describing the field activities as well as a Consent for Access form for your signature as the representative of Sunnyside Gold Corporation.

If you have any questions, I would be glad to answer them either via phone or perhaps at tomorrow's brainstorming session.

Thank you.

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